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**For: RESIN ROLLER AND DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE
RESIN ROLLER****RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING REQUIREMENTS****Commissioner for Patents****Washington, D.C. 20231**

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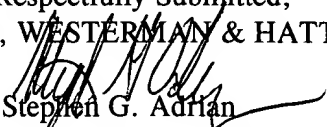
Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Requirements of Application dated **December 14, 2001**, enclosed for filing is an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified patent application.

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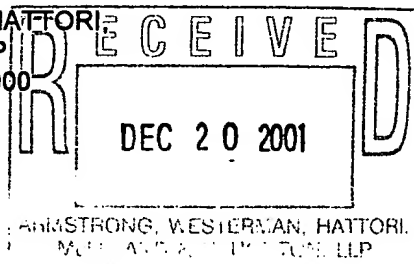
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- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Request for Immediate Examination

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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